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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

NIGEL JACKSON

: DOCKET NO. 04-1926

VS.

: JUDGE MINALDI

JO ANNE B. BARNHART,
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY

: MAGISTRATE JUDGE WILSON

JUDGMENT

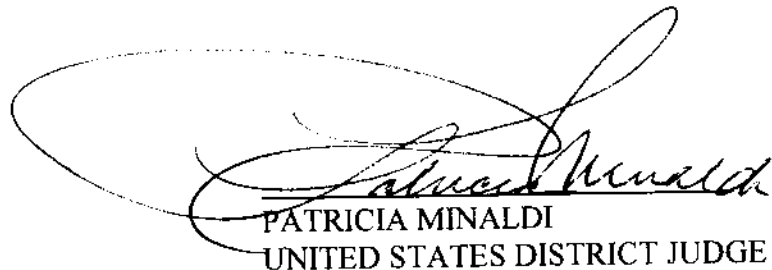
For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein and after an independent review of the record, and a *de novo* determination of the issues, and consideration of the objections filed herein, and having determined that the findings are correct under applicable law; it is

ORDERED that this matter be reversed and remanded pursuant to the fourth sentence of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) for further proceedings in accordance with the report and recommendation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that plaintiff's request for an award of interim benefits be, and it is hereby DENIED.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Chambers at Lake Charles, Louisiana, this 12 day of

Dec, 2005.


PATRICIA MINALDI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE